

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Kurt R. Carlson EXAMINER: **ZEMEL, IRINA SOPJIA**  
SERIAL NO: 10/600,984 ART UNIT: 1765  
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DOCKET NO: NGC-140/000047-199  
TITLE: **INTRODUCING VOIDS INTO POLYMERIC MATERIAL FOR  
BUFFERING ONE OR MORE STRESS SENSITIVE COMPONENTS  
FROM ONE OR MORE STRESSES**

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Response after Final Office Action

Dear Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Final Office Action mailed September 28, 2011 in  
connection with the above-identified application. A response to the Office Action is due  
November 28, 2011. Therefore, this Response is timely filed within two months of the Final  
Office Action.